

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

JONATHAN J. LEWIS, a single
man,

Plaintiff,

v.

TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANY,
a foreign corporation, and
THE AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE
COMPANY OF HARTFORD,
CONNECTICUT, a foreign
corporation,

Defendants.

NO. CV-08-3052-EFS

**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
REMAND**

BEFORE THE COURT is the Parties' Stipulation Regarding Damages and Remand to Superior Court. (Ct. Rec. 2.) The parties stipulate Plaintiff's damage claims will not exceed \$75,000. Accordingly, because the amount in controversy does not meet or exceed \$75,000, 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a)'s jurisdictional minimum has not been met. Therefore, the Court does not have jurisdiction over this non-federal question controversy.

For this reason, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:** this matter is **REMANDED** to Yakima Superior Court (Cause No. 08-2-02630-1).

IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to

(A) Enter this Order;

1 (B) Provide copies to counsel;

2 (C) **REMAND THIS MATTER**, and provide a certified copy of this Order
3 to, Yakima Superior Court of the State of Washington, Cause No. 08-2-
4 02630-1; and

5 (D) **CLOSE THIS FILE.**

6 **DATED** this 1st day of October 2008.

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United States District Judge

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